Mountain Weather Forecast

Yorkshire Dales National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 18 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Friday 19 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 18 Feb 2021 at 00:53

Confidence: High for unsettled and changeable conditions. Medium in details from Saturday.

Headline for Thursday 18 Feb 2021: Rain clearing to showers. Windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 18 Feb 2021

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Medium Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Low Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers (night)	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
40%	80%	30%	40%	60%	30%

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Weather: Outbreaks of rain during the morning, heavy at times. Drier by midday with some brighter skies, but turning showery, these wintry at times over the highest tops. Turning drier again in the evening. Windy with a significant wind chill.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 60% with extensive cloud, base 600 to 900m. Becoming 90% in the evening as the cloud thins and clears.

Visibility: Good or very good falling moderate or poor in rain or showers. Occasionally very poor over the highest tops.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	33/43 S	23/33 SW	21/30 SW	24/35 SW	27/39 SW	26/39 SW	21/32 SW
300	18/37 S	15/31 SW	14/29 SW	17/33 SW	18/37 SW	17/35 W	13/27 SW
Valley	19/42 S	13/27 SW	13/27 SW	15/31 SW	17/36 SW	13/29 SW	11/24 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-2	3/-3	1/-5	1/-5	2/-5	2/-5	1/-5
300	7/2	5/0	4/-0	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1
Valley	8/4	5/1	6/2	5/1	5/1	5/1	4/1
Freezing Level*	1400m	1000m	700m	800m	900m	800m	800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing further to add.

Recent rainfall: measured at Malham: altitude 375m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Thu 18 Feb 2021	3mm	10.2mm	11.8mm

Forecast for Friday 19 Feb 2021

Weather: Mainly dry overnight and early morning, otherwise cloudy and overcast with outbreaks of rain, heavy and persistent at times. Gale or severe gales over the tops.

Maximum wind: South 30 to 40mph gusting 50 to 60mph

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 600m: 70% overnight and early morning. Becoming 30% by midday, extensive cloud with bases around 600m.

Visibility: Moderate or poor in rain and very poor at times at height. Occasionally good lower down.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to 9 Celsius
At 600m: Around Zero Celsius rising to 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Around 600m soon rising above the summits.

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